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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: ORR Analysis of Senator Joseph R. McCarthy's Speech of 19 May 1954

- 1. At the request of the DD/I, ORR made an analysis of the statements of Senator Joseph R. McCarthy on the Senate floor on 19 May 1954, as reported on pp. 6448 through 6456 (copies attached) of the Congressional Record, 83rd Congress.
- 2. The enclosed statements were conveyed to the DCI on the morning of 20 May 1954 for his use at the National Security Council meeting that day.
- 3. The DD/I subsequently informed me that the DCI had passed the original copies of our analysis to Governor Stassen, Director, Foreign Operations Administration. The DD/I suggested that we review our contribution for errors that may have come to light upon reflection and send any revised comments directly to Governor Stassen over AD/RR's signature. Three of the comments were combined into two new analyses and subsequently forwarded by AD/RR to Governor Stassen on 20 May 1954.

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Special Assistant to AD/RR

Attachments:

ORR analysis of McCarthy statements (revisions indicated)
Copies of pp. 6448-6456 of
Congressional Record, 19 May 1954

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